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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

BARNETT et al.

Serial No.: 09/610,313

Art Unit: 1633

Filing Date: July 5, 2000

Examiner: B. Whiteman

Title: POLYNUCLEOTIDES ENCODING ANTIGENIC HIV TYPE C  
POLYPEPTIDE, POLYPEPTIDES AND USES THEREOF

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an amendment in the above patent application in response to the Office Action of September 21, 2001.

- Petition for Extension of Time enclosed.  
 No additional fee is required.  
 Also enclosed: Version with Markings to Show Changes Made;  
Currently Pending Claims; New 1449 forms; Rule 132  
Declaration by Dr. Susan Wilson; Exhibit A; postcard

No. of Claims After Amendment		Most Claims Previously Paid			Extra Claims			Additional Fee	
A. Total Claims	68	-	64	=	4	x	\$18	=	\$72
B. Ind. Claims	2	-	3	=	0	x	\$84	=	0
C. If amended to contain multiple dependent claims, add 280							\$280	=	\$0

D. Total Amendment Fee (Total of A, B & C)	=	\$72
E. If small entity, 50% reduction of Total Amendment Fee (50% of D)	=	
F. Total Amendment Fee (D minus E)	=	\$72

A check for \$ 992 to cover the extension of time fee and extra claims fee is attached.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

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